

West Central Regional

(Warren, Vermillion, Parke, Fountain & Montgomery)

Agency Description:

- Northwestern Indiana, population of (Warren, 8,701)/ (Vermillion, 16,645)/ (Parke, 17,021)/ (Fountain, 17,486) / (Montgomery, 38,173)
- Predominately white (99.1%)/ (98.3%)/ (96.4%)/ (98.7%)/ (97.5%), non-white (.09%)/ (1.7%)/ (3.6) / (1.3%)/ (2.5%)
- Per capita income (\$25,802)/ (\$27,402)/ (\$23,934)/ (\$26,399)/ (\$27,484) with a below poverty rate of (7.8%)/ (10.3%)/ (12.4%)/ (10.1%) / (10.3%)
- Education: high school diploma (85.0%)/ (81.2%)/ (80.5%)/ (80.7%)/ (85.7%), BA Degree or higher (14.0%)/ (11.2%)/ (11.6%)/ (10.1%)/ (14.7%)
- Unemployment rate of (4.0%)/ (6.5%)/ (5.5%)/ (4.8%)/ (4.1%)

West Central Regional received 494 adults and 70 juveniles during the 2007-2008 fiscal years (this does not include the referrals already being supervised prior to July 1, 2007). A total of 102 offenders in these programs were discharged as unsuccessful, 278 successful completions giving a combined success rate of 73%.

Community Corrections Components:

- Home Detention/EM
- Community Transition Program (CTP)
- Juvenile Alternatives
- Community Service -Juvenile Holdover

Program Effectiveness for 2007-2008:

- Serves males, females, juveniles, felon misdemeanors, and infractions
- Employment was secured for 0 offenders during this reporting period.
- 29 offenders per month received Home Detention/EM services with a 70% success rate during this reporting period.
- 112 offenders were CTP eligible and 12 were accepted. 6 offenders secured employment while on the CTP program during this reporting period.
- A total of 7 offenders were successfully discharged and 1 offender unsuccessfully completed resulting in an 87% success rate for CTP during this reporting period.
- Juvenile Alternatives Programs served 33 juveniles with a 74% success rate during this reporting period.
- Community Service served 260 adults and 14 juveniles. 27 offenders participated in Community Service as a graduated sanction with a 62% success rate during this reporting period.

Other Noteworthy Accomplishments:

- 1996 - County Achievement Award /Association of Indiana Counties for innovative Leadership for regionalizing the county's community corrections program
- 2000 - Fountain County Ten Year Service Award/ IAACAC
- 2003 - West Central Regional Ten 10 Year Service Award/IAACAC

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